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SUBJECT: LARGE AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT TENDER ANNOUNCED

IN MOZAMBIQUE

1. GPRM HAS ANNOUNCED LARGE TENDER FOR PROCUREMENT OF WIDE VARIETY OF AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT. ONLY LOCAL FIRMS AND AGENTS HAVE BEEN INVITED SUBMIT TENDERS. TOTAL VALUE WAS ESTIMATED BY ONE DEALER AT ABOUT US\$3 MILLION. BIDS TO BE SUBMITTED BY MARCH 25, AND DELIVERY REQUESTED FOR MAY. PARTICIPANTS MUST INCLUDE IN BIDS GUARANTEES OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, STOCKS OF SPARE PARTS, AND COMPANY REPRESENTATION THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. PROGRAMS FOR TRAINING OF MOZAMBICAN PERSONNEL MUST ALSO BE PRESENTED.

- 2. EQUIPMENT SOUGHT INCLUDES WHEELED AND TRACK-TYPE DIESEL TRACTORS, LIGHT AND HEAVY DIESEL TRUCKS, COMBINES, ONE AND TWO-AXLE TRAILERS, 38 TONS DROPSIDE PLATFORMS, POTATO CULTIVATORS, SEEDERS WITH AND WITHOUT FERTILIZER SPREADERS, HARROW, PLOWS, PULVERIZORS, MANURE SPREADERS, REAPERS, CUTTERS, GENERATORS, PUMPING AND IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT, MILKING MACHINES AND OTHER MILK HANDLING EQUIPMENT.
- 3. EMBASSY CONTACTED SEVERAL LOCAL AGENTS OF US AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURERS. ALL ARE ACTIVELY PREPARING BIDS, UNCLASSIFIED

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AND ONE APPROACHED EMBASSY FOR ASSISTANCE IN LOCATING FINANCING. GPRM WILL SEEK TO FINANCE OVER AT LEAST A THREE-YEAR PERIOD, AGENT SAID.

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